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Applicants: Glenn A. Sasaki      Art Unit: 1743  
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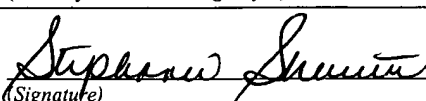
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1. Response to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2004 (5 pages); and
2. Return Receipt Postcard.

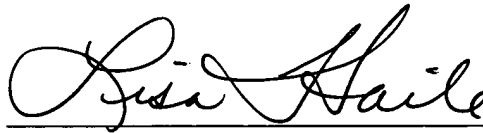
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Applicants do not believe any fees are due in connection with this submission however the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-1896. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Lisa A. Haile". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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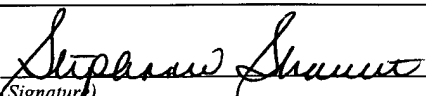
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**RESPONSE TO THE FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2004, entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

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